

CASE

NUMBER:

99-047

INDEX FOR CASE: 99-047UAC
POWERTEL/KENTUCKY, INC.

Construct
CELL SITE - 2253 BALLARD ROAD - ANDERSON

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF POWERTEL/KENTUCKY, INC.,
A DELAWARE CORPORATION, FOR ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF
PUBLIC COVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT A PERSONAL
COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES FACILITY IN B-252 BASIC TRADING AREA

SEQ NBR	ENTRY DATE	REMARKS
0001	02/09/99	Application.
0002	02/10/99	Acknowledgement letter.
0003	02/23/99	No deficiencies letter
0004	05/21/99	Final Order granting a Certificate to construct a wireless telecom. facility.



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

RE: Case No. 99-047 UAC
POWERTEL/KENTUCKY, INC.

I, Stephanie Bell, Secretary of the Public Service Commission, hereby certify that the enclosed attested copy of the Commission's Order in the above case was served upon the following by U.S. Mail on May 21, 1999.

Parties of Record:

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF POWERTEL/KENTUCKY,)	
INC., A DELAWARE CORPORATION, FOR)	
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A PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES)	99-047-UAC
FACILITY IN B-252 BASIC TRADING AREA (THE L-)	
KY-003-157 FACILITY))	

O R D E R

On February 9, 1999, Powertel/Kentucky, Inc. ("Powertel/Kentucky") filed an application seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate a wireless telecommunications facility. The proposed facility is to be located at 2253 Ballard Road, Salvisa, Anderson County, Kentucky. The coordinates for the proposed facility are North Latitude 37° 55' 50.35" by West Longitude 84° 59' 22.91".

Powertel/Kentucky has provided information regarding the structure of the tower, safety measures, and antenna design criteria for the proposed facility. Based upon the application, the design of the tower and foundation conforms to applicable nationally recognized building standards, and the plans have been certified by a Registered Professional Engineer.

Pursuant to KRS 100.987(2), Powertel/Kentucky has notified the Lawrenceburg/Anderson County Joint Planning Commission ("Planning Commission") of the proposed construction. To date, no comments have been filed by the Planning

Commission. Powertel/Kentucky has filed applications with the Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") and the Kentucky Airport Zoning Commission ("KAZC") seeking approval for the construction and operation of the proposed facility. Both decisions are pending.

Powertel/Kentucky has filed notices verifying that each person who owns property within 500 feet of the proposed facility has been notified of the pending construction. The notice solicited any comments and informed the property owners of their right to request intervention. In addition, notice of the proposed construction has been posted in a visible location for at least two weeks after filing the application. To date, no comments have been filed with the Commission.

Pursuant to KRS 278.280, the Commission is required to determine proper practices to be observed when it finds, upon complaint or on its own motion, that the facilities of any utility subject to its jurisdiction are unreasonable, unsafe, improper, or insufficient. To assist the Commission in its efforts to comply with this mandate, Powertel/Kentucky should notify the Commission if it does not use this antenna tower to provide service in the manner set out in its application and this Order. Upon receipt of such notice, the Commission may, on its own motion, institute proceedings to consider the proper practices, including removal of the unused antenna tower, which should be observed by Powertel/Kentucky.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that Powertel/Kentucky should be granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct the proposed facility.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Powertel/Kentucky is granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct a wireless telecommunications facility to be located at 2253 Ballard Road, Salvisa, Anderson County, Kentucky. The coordinates for the proposed facility are North Latitude 37° 55' 50.35" by West Longitude 84° 59' 22.91".

2. Powertel/Kentucky shall file a copy of the final decisions regarding its pending FAA and KAZC applications for the proposed construction within 10 days of receiving these decisions.

3. Powertel/Kentucky shall immediately notify the Commission in writing, if, after the antenna tower is built and utility service is commenced, the tower is not used for a period of 3 months in the manner authorized by this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 21st day of May, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director



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The Commission staff has reviewed your application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements. Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502/564-3940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stephanie Bell".

Stephanie Bell
Secretary of the Commission

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Ms. Helen C. Helton, Executive Director
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RE: Application of Powertel/Kentucky, Inc. for Issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a Personal Communications Services Facility in B-252 Basic Trading Area Which Includes Anderson County - Case No. 99-047 UAC (The L-KY-003-157 Facility)

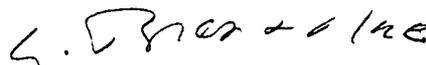
Dear Ms. Helton:

Please be advised that the undersigned represents Powertel/Kentucky, Inc. in regard to the above-referenced application which I am filing on its behalf today with the Commission.

The original application and five (5) copies of an additional page pursuant to 807 KAR 5:063 Section 5(2) are being submitted for filing. Additionally, three Site Plans are submitted with the application. Any comments or questions in regard to the application should be forwarded to the undersigned.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



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This letter is to acknowledge receipt of initial application in the above case. The application was date-stamped received February 9, 1999 and has been assigned Case No. 99-047. In all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case, please reference the above case number.

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UNIFORM APPLICATION: CONFIDENTIAL AND PROPRIETARY

* The specific location of the proposed construction is 2253 Ballard Road, Salvisa Anderson County, Kentucky.

** This additional page is filed pursuant to 807 KAR 5:063 Section 5(2).